

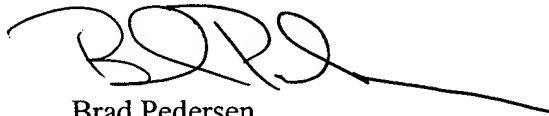
REMARKS

Claims 1-20 are pending in the application. Independent claims 1, 16-20 have been amended to clarify the intended and inherent scope of the terms "casual network system" and "weapon system." Support for these amendments can be found at page 5 of the specification and at pages 17-18 of the specification, for example. No new matter has been added.

In view of the foregoing, it is submitted that this application is in condition for allowance. Favorable consideration and prompt allowance of the application are respectfully requested.

The Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned if the Examiner believes it would be useful to advance prosecution.

Respectfully submitted,

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